IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :

Martin STEUER, et al.

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Title: POLYVINYL ACETAL-CONTAINING GRANULATE, METHOD FOR THE

PRODUCTION AND THE UTILIZATION THEREOF

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action issued March 17, 2010, please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

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